

5^o Nov: 1713 Read and assented to Nov: 5th 1713 and endorsed & sealed
by the House of Delegates and signed by his Excellency M^r W^m Bladen Esq^r Councillor &
ord^r Rich^r Dallam Esq^r Judge ord^r W^m Bladen Esq^r Councillor
Nov: 14th In the Behalfe of our Sovereigne Lady Queen Anne of Great Brittain &c
Swell this boⁿ Law - - - - - Edw^r Loyd Presid^r

(Signature)

An Act for the payment and Assessment of the publick Charge
of this Province - - It Whereas there has been Three hundred and
Sixteen Thousand six hundred and Seventy three pounds of Tobacco and
three hundred thirty eight pounds nine shillings and one penny in money
laid out and Expended for the Publick Service of this province to the
twelfth day of November this Present Year Seventeen hundred and
Thirteen to the Intent the same may be satisfied and paid to whom
the same is due as by the Journall of the Committee for laying the
Publick Tax and List for payment therof thereto annexed appear^d
Be it Enacted by the Queen most Excellent Majest^y by
and with the Advice and Consent of her Majest^y President -
Councill and Assembly of this province and by authority of the
same that the said sume of three hundred thirty Eight pounds
nine shillings and one penny in money be satisfied and paid to
whom the same is due out of the publick Stock raised and Laded
in the Publick treasurers hands of this province and that the aforesaid
sum of three hundred and sixteen Thousand six hundred and Seventy
three pounds of tobacco be by an Equall Assessment of Nineteen pounds of
tobacco per poll levied on y^e Taxable Inhabitants of this province -
and by the Sheriff of each respective County Collector and paid
to the several powers to whom it is ordered by the said Journall and
List of payments

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